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Applicant(s) : Hiroshi ONO, et al.

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FOR CLEAR COATING AND CLEAR
COATING PAPER HAVING THE AGENT
APPLIED THEREON

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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 USC 371**

International Application No.: PCT/JP03/03719
 International Filing Date: March 26, 2003
 Priority Date Claimed: March 27, 2002
 Title of Invention: SLIPPING PROPERTY IMPARTING AGENT FOR CLEAR COATING AND
CLEAR COATING PAPER HAVING THE AGENT APPLIED THEREON
 Applicant(s) for DO/EO/US: Hiroshi ONO, Fuminari NONOMURA, Hideki FUJIWARA,
Tsutomu MIYATA, Yoshinobu NAKANO

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. (X) This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371.
2. (X) This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 USC 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
3. (X) A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
4. (X) A copy of the International Application as filed (35 USC 371(c)(2))
 - a. () is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. (X) has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. (X) a copy of Form PCT/1B/308 is enclosed.
 - d. () is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
5. (X) A translation of the International Application into English (35 USC 371(c)(2)).
6. (X) Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 USC 371(c)(3))
 - e. () are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - f. () have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - g. () have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - h. (X) have not been made and will not be made.
7. (X) Preliminary Amendment in five (5) pages.
8. (X) An Information Disclosure Statement; PTO-1449 with five (5) references (under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98).
9. (X) International Application as published (WO 03/080930 A1).
10. (X) PCT Forms: PCT/ISA/210, 220; PCT/IB/301, 304, 332; PCT/IPEA/401, 408, 409, 416.
11. (X) A return prepaid postcard.
12. (X) The following fees are submitted:

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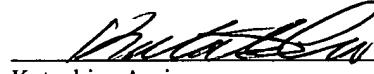
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13. (X) A check in the amount of \$920 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

14. (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge only those additional fees which may be required, now or in the future, to avoid abandonment of the application, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

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